(SRI D. VENKATESH.)

on the basis that they are political sufferers, because they have sacrificed a lot previously ?

Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA.—That is obvious.

Sri D. VENKATESH.—Is it not a fact that Sri Challam has sacrificed a lot for the past 25 years in political affairs ?

Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA.—Yes.

Wells in Tumkur District

Q.—1029. **Sri T. N. MUDALAGIRI GOWDA** (Kunigal).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the amount allotted to Tumkur District for drinking water facilities in the year 1953-54 ;

(*b*) out of this the amount allotted to each taluk and for how many wells ;

(*c*) the amount allotted hobliwar ;

(*d*) the number of wells ready for use or completed ?

A.—**Sri T. CHANNIAH** (Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government).—

		Rs.
(*a*) Annual grant	...	16,000
Special grant	...	25,000
(For Marconahalli Reservoir area) Total	...	41,000
Amount set apart for water-supply, out of Land Revenue assignment of Rs. 1,65,000 allotted to the District.	...	95,000

(*b*) The following amounts as shown under each of the heads have been distributed only for clearing the pending bills in each taluk and not with reference to the number of wells as fresh works are not taken up for execution except in Marconahalli Reservoir area of Kunigal Taluk.

Sl. No.	*Name of Taluk*		*Annual grant*	*Special grant*	*Land Revenue assignment*
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1.	Tumkur	...	1,600		10,000
2.	Gubbi	...	1,600	...	8,000
3.	Kunigal	...	1,600	25,000 (for 16 wells in Marconahalli Reservoir area).	6,000
4.	Tiptur	...	1,600	...	25,000
5.	Turuvekere	...	1,600	...	8,000
6.	Chicknaikanahalli	...	1,600	...	6,000
7.	Madhugiri	...	1,600	...	6,000
8.	Sira	...	1,600	...	15,000
9.	Koratagere	...	1,600	...	5,000
10.	Pavagada	...	1,600	...	6,000
	Total	...	16,000	25,000	95,000

(*c*) No hobliwar allotments were made. Funds being provided only to clear up the pending bills.

(*d*) 46 during 1953-54.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಎನ್. ಮೂಡಲಗಿರಿಗೌಡ.—ಕುಡಿಯುವ ನೀರಿನ ಸೌಕರ್ಯಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ತುಮಕೂರು ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಗೆ ಒದಗಿಸಿರತಕ್ಕ ಹಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಸುಮಾರು ಎಷ್ಟತ್ತುಸಾವಿರ ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳವರೆಗೂ ಏಕೆ ಖರ್ಚಾಗಿಲ್ಲ ?

(ಉತ್ತರವಿಲ್ಲ.)

Mr. SPEAKER.—Question time is over.